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Title: OCCUPANT PROTECTING  
DEVICE AND AIR BAG DEVICE  
FOR REAR-END COLLISION  
MOUNTED ON VEHICLE



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Examiner:

Commissioner for Patents  
Arlington, VA 22202

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Sir:

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The Examiner is requested to initial the attached PTO Form-1449 and to return a copy of same to the undersigned attorney as proof that the listed reference(s) has/have been considered and made of record.

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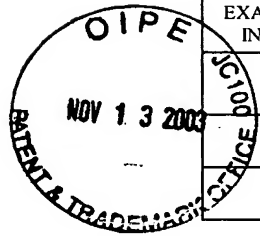
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## REFERENCE DESIGNATION

## U.S. PATENT DOCUMENTS

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## FOREIGN PATENT DOCUMENTS

## TRANSLATION

		DOCUMENT NUMBER	DATE	COUNTRY	NAME	CLASS	SUB CLASS	YES	NO
		JP-A-H06-65117 *	9/13/94	JAPAN				X (Abstract)	
		JP-A-H07-186870*	7/25/95	JAPAN				X (Abstract)	
		JP-U-S64-7054	1/17/89	JAPAN				X (Abstract)	
		JP-A-H05-85290*	4/6/93	JAPAN				X (Abstract)	

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## OTHER REFERENCES (including Author, Title, Date, Pertinent Pages, etc.)

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